

## LEGION POST TO ERECT MEMORIAL

Long-Delayed Project to Be Completed by Memorial Day.

### MONEY FROM CITIZENS

At the January meeting, Harold D. Speakman Post, No. 356, American Legion, a resolution was unanimously adopted calling for the erection of a suitable memorial in memory of their Narberth comrades who gave their lives in the world war.

The program formulated contemplates the completion of the monument for dedication on Memorial day. In a later edition of "Our Town" the plans will be shown and announcement made concerning the financial plan by which every man, woman and child in Narberth and its immediate vicinity will be given an opportunity to contribute something as an everlasting remembrance to those who made the supreme sacrifice for America.

The February meeting of the post falls on Washington's birthday and it seems especially appropriate that this should be the occasion of an open-air meeting to which all citizens of Narberth are invited and at which the actual campaign to make possible a fitting remembrance to our soldier dead will be launched.

## LEGION MINSTRELS PLAY TO CROWDED HOUSE

Old-Time Shows Recalled by Interesting Program.

The fifth annual minstrel show, given under the auspices of Harold D. Speakman Post No. 356, American Legion, was presented to a capacity house on Friday evening, January 22. The show itself not only came up to, but even surpassed, the most sanguine expectations of the committee of arrangements. It "went over" big, and the audience responded with enthusiastic applause from curtain to curtain.

The minstrel part was in itself a rare treat, not only to the younger patrons, but to many who can look back 10 or 15 years when minstrelsy was still "going strong." So here they saw some of the old-time minstrel favorites, for instance, Bob Girard and Tom Huston, who years ago were funsters to metropolitan audiences on the ends of Lew Dockstader's Minstrels. The songs ranged from the comic Negro song and dance to the plaintive melody, yes, even to Charles Rich's yodeling lullaby.

Edna Wallace Kinney gave us a touch of the esthetic in the second part, while Ed Harrity, in his monologue dealing with present-day events and dancing, and Hall and Gibson in a comedy musical act kept the audience in uproarious laughter until the curtain. Dancing was enjoyed by a large number after the show.

### FRANK W. MILLER

Frank W. Miller, of 228 Narberth avenue, died suddenly Wednesday morning at his home from a heart attack. He had had slight heart trouble in the past, but no serious concern had been felt over his condition.

Mr. Miller, who was 59, was very active in the affairs of the Narberth Methodist Episcopal Church, of which he was a trustee and assistant treasurer. He had been engaged in the real estate business in Philadelphia, being prominent in a number of building and loan societies. He was a Mason and member of the Philadelphia Consistory.

Mr. Miller, who was born on Long Island, had been a resident of Narberth for the past six years. He is survived by his wife and four children, Mr. Frank W. Miller, Jr., of East Orange, N. J.; the Misses Madeline P. and Dorothy B. Miller and Mr. Joseph H. Miller, all of Narberth.

Funeral services, to which members of his church are invited, will be held this afternoon at 2.30 from his late residence. Burial will be in West Laurel Hill.

### DANCE AT ALL SAINTS

The teachers and officers of All Saints Church are planning a dance for next Thursday evening at the Parish House. Frid Fry's Pennsylvanians will furnish the music.

## ST. MARGARET'S CELEBRATES SILVER ANNIVERSARY WITH DEDICATION

Opening of New Parochial School and Gift to Pastor Mark Event—Prominent Clergymen Present.

The beautiful new school of St. Margaret's Parish, Narberth, was dedicated with imposing ceremonies last Sunday afternoon by Right Rev. Bishop Edwin Byrne, of the diocese of Ponce, Porto Rico, who was assisted by Rev. Luke V. McCabe, D. D., and Rt. Rev. Monsignor Charles F. Kavanagh. Following the dedication, the sermon was preached in the church, crowded with the school children and happy parishioners, by Rev. Dr. Joseph M. O'Hara, Superintendent of the Parochial Schools, who forcibly set forth the keynote of Catholic education.

The speaker pointed out the Church's position in the upbringing of youth is invulnerable and recognizes not only the material necessities of humanity, but also the primary purpose of earthly existence and the kinship which man seeks with the Creator for his eternal salvation. To separate religion from education means the undoing of both, the speaker declared, and he described the efforts of Catholics in Colonial America to establish schools which would recognize God as the Seat of All Wisdom and the Origin of all moral forces and natural laws. Only in this way, Rev. Dr. O'Hara stated, can the child be constantly impressed with his origin and destiny and imbued with the conviction that he is accountable to God for all his acts.

A nation whose children are nourished with the love of God, and the love of neighbor which will naturally flow as a result of spiritual ideals, need have no fear, the speaker said, of losing its step in its march toward real and permanent prosperity; and he voiced the belief that the schools which paid tribute to Divine Omnipotence as they prepared the child to make his way in the practical things of life were receiving the cordial recognition of the general American public to a much greater extent than had been the case in previous generations.

The results of the Christian process, the speaker stated, should be the governing factor in the case, and the results which show on the record, it was further pointed out, are well worth all the sacrifice and expenditure which were made to secure them.

Rev. Dr. O'Hara congratulated the pastor, Rev. Richard F. Cowley, and the members of the parish, on the achievement represented by the splendid school which had been erected and he urged substantial support of the plan to advance the cause of Catholic education in St. Margaret's parish.

The ceremonies concluded with Solemn Pontifical Benediction by Bishop Byrne, assisted by Monsignor Kavanagh, and Rev. Dr. McCabe, with Rev. Terence A. Brady, assistant rector of St. Margaret's, as Master of Ceremonies. The reverend clergy in attendance in addition to those already mentioned were:

Rev. Francis J. Brennan, D. D., Rev. Thos. C. Brennan, Rev. P. A. Collis, Ph. D., Very Rev. Joseph M. Corrigan, D. D., Rev. Maurice F. Cowl, Rev. James J. Gibbons, Rev. Michael H. Gormley, Rev. John F. Kiernan, Rev. Edward A. Lyons, D. D., Rev. John H. Martin, Ph. D., Rev. Louis J. Meyer, Rev. George J. Mullan, Rev. James J. Wilson.

The new school building is described as a distinct innovation in construction and design and is said to be attracting wide attention in educational circles. The stone employed was taken from several quarries, to preclude the glaring effect of rough-face granite, and the interior is replete with the latest appointments in school equipment. The light features, it is reported, are particularly effective and the building is heated, with thermostatic control in each room, from oil burners. The Sisters of Mercy are in charge and the classes took possession on last Monday morning.

### Rector Is Honored.

Co-incident with the opening of its new school, St. Margaret's Parish observed the dual silver

anniversary of parish and pastorate by a reception to Father Cowley on Wednesday evening, January 20, 1926, at which time he was tendered a handsome testimonial as a gift from his parishioners. The presentation speech was made by Mr. Nicholas Thouron, in whose residence Father Cowley celebrated the first Mass for the new parish on Christmas morning, 1900. Mr. Thouron interestingly recounted the many vicissitudes which accompanied the pioneer pastor's early endeavors and described the great and sparsely settled countryside which he was called upon to serve. Large areas of present adjoining parishes, Mr. Thouron said, were originally part of St. Margaret's, and he stated that it was a long time before Catholics in any considerable number started to settle in that part of Lower Merion. Mr. Thouron lauded the lofty spirit with which Father Cowley coped with adversity in the early days, and he expressed his great appreciation of the close and cordial relationship which he had been privileged to carry down through the years with St. Margaret's first and only rector.

As Mr. Thouron concluded, Miss Dorothy Kathryn Caurey, on behalf of the children of the parish, presented the pastor with twenty-five American Beauty roses.

Father Cowley, altogether unaware of the surprise which Father Brady had arranged for him, voiced his gratitude for the recognition which was being made for the support which they always had accorded him. He pointed out that the present parish plant was something of which they could all be proud, as it would probably cost several hundred thousand dollars to duplicate it, and he felt that this was no small achievement for a suburban parish. He also recalled the early days, and he expressed the great personal pleasure which he was afforded by the fact he continues to administer the spiritual affairs of a number of his original stalwarts.

The erection of the new school, Father Cowley said, was a supreme test of confidence and loyalty, and the manner in which the parishioners had come to the rescue was one of the many things he stated which made him feel deeply grateful that he had been privileged to spend the greater part of his priestly career in Narberth.

A prolonged ovation of esteem and affection greeted Father Cowley at the conclusion of his address.

Refreshments were served to numerous audiences which filled the hall and impromptu entertainment of a most enjoyable nature continued for the balance of the evening.

### COMMUNITY CLUB

Dr. Henry Marcotte to Speak at Meeting Tuesday.

The next meeting of the Women's Community Club, in the Y. M. C. A., on Tuesday, February 2, is to be open to the women of the town. At 2.30 P. M. there will be a lecture, "Some Poets, Some Women, and Us," by Henry S. Marcotte, D. D. Those who have heard Dr. Marcotte are super-enthusiastic. Also, Mrs. W. S. Horner is to give us the pleasure of hearing more of her whistling solos.

At 4 o'clock, the League of Women Voters is to join with the Community Club in a farewell reception to Mrs. C. P. Fowler, whose departure from Narberth is going to mean so great a loss to both organizations. A general invitation is extended to all, whether members of either body or not.

### FORMER NARBERTH BOY WINS

Robert S. Foote, a former Narberth High School and Lower Merion High pupil, won the 100-yard dash in the swimming meet between Liberty High School of Bethlehem and Easton Y. M. C. A. held in Bethlehem last Saturday. His time was one minute six seconds.

## 300 DELEGATES AT CONVENTION

Annual Meeting of County Federation Is Held in Narberth.

### MANY LEADERS SPEAK

Nearly 300 clubwomen of Montgomery county gathered in the Narberth Presbyterian Church Thursday for their annual meeting. The Women's Community Club of Narberth acted as hostesses.

Mrs. Richard J. Hamilton, county chairman, presided and called the meeting to order, which was followed immediately by the singing of "Hail Pennsylvania," led by Mrs. Joseph P. Barclay, of Narberth.

Mrs. Harry A. Jacobs, resident of the local club, handed the key of the borough to the delegates, and Mrs. William White, of Conshohocken, responded. She said:

"It is a great pleasure to respond to the hearty greeting from the Narberth Club. These meetings give us inspiration and enthusiasm. If we wish to develop we must put the best into our work."

"The American Home" was the morning subject, and all the speakers made this the keynote of their talks, stating that this topic is the big thing before the Federation today.

Miss Gertrude Ely spoke of the relation of the League of Women Voters to the home. Superintendent S. E. Downs of the Lower Merion schools talked on the relation of the schools to the home.

Mrs. May Carleton Lord, of Glenside, pleased the delegates with readings from her original poems. Other matters taken up in the morning session were the usual minutes and reports, including 12 six-minute reports from the various committee chairmen on their work.

The hospitality committee of the Narberth Club had meanwhile prepared a much-enjoyed hot luncheon, which was served by members of the Junior Club as ushers.

Juniors was the topic of the afternoon session, which discussed their problems from every angle, particularly with reference to club work in relation to home making.

The speakers and their topics were: Organization, Mrs. Robert J. Boyd; Ethics, Miss M. S. Delbert; Club Relations, Mrs. A. W. Long; Programs, Miss Mary Chalfant.

In addition to these department speakers the affair had the unique honor of having on the platform the Junior chairman for the nation, State, district and county.

Miss Florence Dibert, the National chairman, and Mrs. Henry S. Barker, State chairman, both made interesting speeches on Junior work. Mrs. R. Maurice Snyder, district chairman, in the course of her remarks said, "It takes a large amount of brains and knowledge to become a good home maker." Mrs. Harry A. Jacobs is county chairman.

Mrs. John B. Brooks, of Narberth, chairman of publicity, in the course of her report touched on the value of radio as a publicity factor in bringing club work before non-members and enlisting their interest. She also urged publicity for the five-minute-a-day peace work by every member.

The musical program was furnished by the Matinee Musical Club Juniors, under Mrs. J. A. Aikens. The decorations prepared by the club created much favorable comment.

### SELLING CHANCES

In an effort to raise money for new equipment, the members of the Narberth Fire Company have scheduled a Ford car donation, the drawing to be made February 25 at the banquet.

Tickets are on sale for 10 cents a chance or \$1 for a book of ten. The winner will have his choice of the car or \$375 in cash.

The tickets are on sale by all the active members of the company, at Davis' store, Cranes and Christ Kock's drug stores.

### NOTARIES COMMISSIONED

Harvey C. Irwin, of Cynwyd; William E. Hemsley, Harry Joseph Harrison and Miss Agnes D. Walker, all of Lower Merion, and John D. McTigue, of Narberth, have been nominated by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate as Notaries Public for terms of four years.

### POLICE ON WATCH

A campaign against automobile speeders was again inaugurated this week by Lower Merion police as the result of two motor accidents which resulted fatally last week. Many cars were stopped and drivers warned, especially on the two principal highways, Lancaster and Montgomery pikes.

A watchful eye is also being kept by the police for rum runners. Powerful cars, such as affected by booze merchants, were carefully scrutinized for contraband when stopped.

## MANY PROGRAMS AT JUNIOR HIGH

Literary, Dramatic and Club Activities Are Now in Full Swing.

### OTHER SCHOOL NOTES

Last week, Friday, January 22, the Scribblers' Club had charge of assembly; it presented a very original and entertaining program.

The members made up a song that was full of good humor and wit, about the following teachers: Mr. Burnham, Mr. Oerlein, Miss Yarnall, Mrs. Elsbree, Miss Tyson, Miss Fricke, Miss Eckbert, Miss Eames, Miss Jantzen, Miss Church, Miss Chapman, Miss de Cou and Mr. Wilson.

Next on the delightful program was a poem written by Alice Monks and read by Helen Butler.

After the poem was over, Eugene Claghorn read a diary entitled "My Diary on Christmas Morning," written by himself. It told the story of what he found on Christmas morning. This was followed by a play written by Dorothy Merkel, called "Matilda's Beauty Club." The characters are as follows:

Matilda, Virginia Eyre; Mrs. Brinton, Dorothy Merkel; her son, Fred Robb; Mrs. Kimberly, Helen Butler; Mrs. Kerrigan, Alethea Avery; Mrs. Mehitabel, Eugene Claghorn; Miss Dillis, Richard Blanks; Mr. Kimberly, Randolph Keim.

The play was thoroughly enjoyed by all and caused even the most sedate of our teachers to laugh. Bank's acting was especially clever, giving a perfect imitation of a lady of middle age; the other players also performed their parts very well.

Trials for the operetta, to be given some time in March, are now under way. All the pupils of the eighth and ninth grades are invited to the tryouts either for chorus or chief parts.

On Tuesday, January 26, the seventh and eighth grade girls' volleyball teams staged a best out of three game match. The seventh grade won the first one, 15-5, but the eighth grade girls rallied and retaliated by sweeping through the next two games to the tune of 15-5 and 15-10.

On the evening of Monday, January 25, the Campfire Girls held a ceremonial meeting at the home of Miss Virginia Douglass.

Miss Betty Robb, of the '25 class, was made a wood-gatherer, which corresponds to the second-class Scouts.

The Narberth Campfire Girls are going to represent Philadelphia and vicinity at the Grand Council Fire at Mayor Kendrick's office in City Hall. They are planning to entertain the other representatives with some plays that have been given in assembly.

Next week's program will be presented by the Senior Dramatic Club and will consist of four one-act plays as follows:

1. A Night at an Inn—Lord Dunsany.

2. Brewing of Brains—Constance D'Arcy Mackay.

3. Three Wishes—Constance D'Arcy Mackay.

4. The Foam Maiden—Constance D'Arcy Mackay.

Parents are invited to attend these Friday morning club programs, which begin at 8.40 and close at 9.40.

The attention of mothers is again called to the meeting on Wednesday, February 3, at 3.30 o'clock. Demonstration lesson and general discussion on spelling.

Editors: Kenneth Emmett and Raymon Staley.

## GIVE NEW POLICY OF SCHOOL BOARD

Statement of Plans Shows Shifting of Responsibility to Principal.

### WILSON RE-APPOINTED

The regular meeting of the School Board was held in January with all the members in attendance. The board decided that plans should be immediately put under way for the next school year. The term of the supervising principal expires in June. In order to have the principal's proposals relative to the faculty of the school and his suggestions regarding the needs of the school, courses of study, and his general educational policy, together with estimated expenditures to be provided in the new budget, the board took up the re-election of the supervising principal.

After considerable discussion, in which matters pertaining to the administration of the schools were somewhat clarified, it was decided to re-elect George H. Wilson supervising principal for a term of three years.

### Policy of the New Board.

To improve the administration and to give the principal the usual authority in developing the professional policies for the schools, the board agreed that he shall take the entire initiative and assume the leadership in all professional matters pertaining to the running of the Narberth schools. The board will expect the principal to select the teachers and make his nominations to the board for their election. He will be expected to make a report on the efficiency of the present corps of teachers so that the board may be guided in determining their re-election, and regular monthly reports of their work throughout the school year. The principal and the teachers will be expected to handle all matters pertaining to the progress and welfare of the children of the school, and consequently they will be expected to make the contacts with the patrons whose children are attending the school.

In order to still further the school morale it is the intention of the board to have all professional contacts between the teachers and the School Board to come through the principal of the schools.

The board members will visit the schools as frequently as possible and by so doing keep in close touch with

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### SILVER CUP AWARDED

To Loal Unit at Annual Legion Auxiliary Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Bucks-Montgomery Bi-County Council of the American Legion Auxiliary was held on Thursday, January 21, at Norristown.

Ten members of the auxiliary of the Harold D. Speakman Post of Narberth were present at the luncheon and meeting, being the guests of the Althouse Post, Norristown, Pa.

New officers for the current year were elected and installed; very interesting reports of rehabilitation work, etc., were read and at the close of the meeting Narberth was presented with a silver cup for increase in attendance at the meetings during the past year, showing a gain of 5 1-2 per cent. The cup is now being engraved and will be on display in a window of one of the merchants along Haverford avenue in the near future. Now that we hold the cherished cup we hope to keep same, so we sincerely hope all who are eligible to membership in our organization will come forward at our next meeting, which will be announced through the columns of this paper.

### WILLIAM HENDERSON

William Henderson, brother of Mrs. Sarah Hamer, died suddenly Tuesday morning at the home of his sister, 26 Avon road.

Death was due to pneumonia, aggravated by a lung weakness caused by the effects of a gassing during the war.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon, with interment at Laurel Hill Cemetery. Past Commander Harry A. Simpson represented the American Legion, Harold D. Speakman Post, No. 356, and Fred C. Patten blew taps over the grave.



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## The Night Alarm.

When you hear the Fire Alarm in the night do you jump into your clothes and rush out to help put out the blaze?

Or do you, when you wake up with a start and find out it isn't your own house that's afire, tumble into bed again? That's what I do—what the most of us do.

But suppose it IS our own house! We tear our hair, rush to the 'phone—and in one minute the old siren shrieks. In three, four, five or six minutes the Narberth Fire Company is on the spot.

The men of that little volunteer band like their warm beds, too. And they don't owe us a cent. But out they pop—buttosing up as they run—save our property—perhaps our lives.

Your house may be marked for the next visitation. Oh, yes, you're careful. So was I. But it hit me—right in the back-room flue! The boys rushed up in the big red machine—and all I lost was an hour's sleep, and Trotter's Insurance Company less than forty dollars!

Who pays these firemen? Nobody. Not even for wear and tear on their clothes—and that's no small item sometimes. If there's such a thing as unselfishness—real public spirit—you'll find it in our volunteer Fire Company.

We can't pay them. Nor do they ask it. But we are grateful. Let's tell them so. Let us, at least, show our appreciation by attending the banquet to be given to the fire fighters of the Narberth Fire Company on Thursday evening, February 25.

Get your tickets early.

## UNION Y. P. MEETING

"Cemetery Tombstones and Epitaphs" Will Be Topic

As a reminder do not forget the Union Young People's meeting in the Baptist Church tomorrow, January 31, at 6.45 P. M. The Rev. R. E. Keighton, of the Baptist Church, will speak. His topic will be "Cemetery Tombstone and Epitaphs—a grave subject. Many other features are being planned by the society.

February 12.

Ice cream, did you say?  
Well, sure! Count me in;  
If I miss that call  
My ears must be tin.

Friday night, did you say?  
Ah, pshaw, I've a date;  
Never mind, we'll both come.  
All engagements can wait.

Only charge 15 cents  
For all of that fun!  
Say, that's a great bargain  
If I ever saw one!

Now—let—me—see—  
Do I have it straight?  
Presbyterian Church.  
Exactly at eight.

We'll bring 15 cents  
To pay for the cats;  
We're going to play games,  
No taking back seats.

You'll meet all the young folks.  
Where from?—every church  
In Narberth's fair town.  
Friends—wherever you search.

## DEMONSTRATION DINNER

The dinner at the Lutheran Church next Wednesday, February 4, will offer an opportunity for those who wish a good meal without having to cook it at home.

The meal will be prepared by experts and will be well served. Tickets will be 60 cents. Dinner will be served at 5.30, with the following menu: Hot meat loaf and frankfurters, catsup sauce, baked beans, macaroni au gratin, potato salad, bread and butter, biscuits, coffee, ice cream, cake.

This is your paper and your advice is appreciated.

## AN ORDINANCE

Making an appropriation to defray the expenses of the borough of Narberth for the year 1926.

The Council of the Borough of Narberth does ordain:

Section 1. That the sum of Eighty-three thousand two hundred and sixty-five dollars (\$83,265) be and the same is hereby appropriated from monies to be received for borough taxes and miscellaneous receipts, for salaries of borough officers and to defray the expenses of the Borough of Narberth for the year ending December 31, 1926, as follows:

Item 1. For Salary of Secretary. Four Hundred Dollars. (\$400.00)

Item 2. For Salary of Borough Solicitor. Seventy-five Dollars. (\$75.00)

Item 3. For Salary of Borough Treasurer. Four Hundred Dollars. (\$400.00)

Item 4. For Salary of Street Commissioner. Twenty-one Hundred. (\$2100.00)

Item 5. For Fire Protection, Nine Thousand Dollars. (\$9000.00)

Item 6. For expense of the Board of Health, Fourteen Hundred and Sixty-five Dollars. (\$1465.00)

Item 7. For police Expenses, Seventy-five Hundred Dollars. (\$7500.00)

Item 8. For street lighting, Thirty-one Hundred Dollars. (\$3100.00)

Item 9. For Stationery, publishing ordinances, insurance, incidentals, and general council expenses, Thirty-five hundred Dollars. (\$3500.00)

Item 10. For rent of Council Chamber. Two Hundred Dollars. (\$200.00)

Item 11. For roads and bridges, care and maintenance of same and collection of ashes, Thirty-four Thousand Dollars. (\$34,000.00)

Item 12. For sewer rental, payable to Lower Merion Township. Four Hundred Dollars. (\$400.00)

Item 13. For collection of Garbage, Forty-eight Hundred Dollars. (\$4800.00)

Item 14. For sinking Fund to pay principal of a loan of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3000.00) dated December 1, 1897, One Hundred Dollars. (\$100)

Item 15. For Interest on Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) balance of a loan of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3000.00) dated December 1, 1897, Twenty-five Dollars. (\$25.00)

Item 16. For Sinking Fund to pay principal of a loan of Fifty-one Thousand Dollars (\$51,000.00) dated May 1, 1907, Seventeen Hundred Dollars. (\$1700.00)

Item 17. For Interest on Twenty-six Thousand Dollars (\$26,000.00) balance of a loan of Fifty-one Thousand Dollars (\$51,000.00) dated May 1, 1907, One Thousand and Forty Dollars. (\$1040.00)

Item 18. For Sinking Fund to pay principal of a loan of Twenty-seven Thousand Dollars (\$27,000.00) dated June 1, 1909, Nine Hundred Dollars. (\$900.00)

Item 19. For Interest on Thirteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$13,500.00) balance of a loan of Twenty-seven Thousand Dollars (\$27,000.00) dated June 1, 1909, Fifty Hundred and Forty Dollars. (\$540.00)

Item 20. For Sinking Fund to pay principal of a loan of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) dated July 1, 1916 One Thousand Dollars. (\$1,000.00)

Item 21. For interest on Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) balance of a loan of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) dated July 1, 1916, Nine Hundred Dollars. (\$900)

Item 22. For Sinking Fund to pay principal of a loan of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) dated August 1, 1922, One Thousand Dollars. (\$1000.00)

Item 23. For interest on a loan of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) dated August 1, 1922, Thirteen Hundred and Fifty Dollars. (\$1350.00)

Item 24. For Sinking Fund to pay principal of a loan of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00) dated August 1, 1925, Three Thousand Four Hundred and Forty-five Dollars. (\$3445.00)

Item 25. For interest on a loan of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000.00) dated August 1, 1925, Three Thousand Dollars. (\$3000.00)

Item 26. For expenses of the Shade Tree Commission. Two Hundred Dollars. (\$200.00)

Item 27. For Salary of the Building Inspector, Six Hundred Dollars. (\$600)

Item 28. For bond of the Borough Treasurer, Twenty-five Dollars. (\$25.00)

Item 29. For State tax on loans, Five Hundred Dollars. (\$500.00)

Section 2. That no work shall be ordered nor material purchased unless authorized by action of the Council and covered by an order on the regular requisition form. All bills must be approved by the Finance Committee and be paid by warrants drawn on the Borough Treasurer countersigned by the Secretary.

E. C. GRISWOLD,  
President of Council.

Passed this eleventh day of January 1926,

CHARLES V. NOEL,  
Secretary.

Approved this eleventh day of January 1926.

HENRY A. FRYE,  
Burgess.

## AN ORDINANCE

To levy and fix taxes in the Borough of Narberth for the year 1926.

The Council of the Borough of Narberth does ordain:

Section 1. That the Borough Taxes for the year 1926 be and they are hereby levied and fixed at the rate of Twenty-four (24) mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation, according to assessments and valuation for county purposes, as follows:

For general Borough purposes, 15 Mills.

For Street Improvements, 3 1/2 Mills.

For Sinking Fund and Interest on bonded indebtedness, 3 1/2 Mills.

For Fire protection, 2 Mills.

Passed this eleventh day of January A. D. 1926.

E. C. GRISWOLD,  
President of Council.

CHARLES V. NOEL,  
Secretary of Council.

Approved this eleventh day of January 1926.

HENRY A. FRYE,  
Burgess.

To the Stockholders of the Narberth Building and Loan Association.

Notice is hereby given that at the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Narberth Building and Loan Association to be held at 9 P. M., March 4, 1926, at Elm Hall, the following amendment to the By-Laws will be acted upon:

Article 5, Section 1.—Strike out that portion reading "Provided, That Stockholders withdrawing after the Association shall have been in existence one year shall receive such interest or proportion of the profits as may be determined by the Board of Directors at any annual meeting and substitute the following:

"No interest shall be allowed withdrawing stockholder on any stock withdrawn during the first year of its issue; 3 per cent. interest shall be allowed withdrawing stockholder from date of issue on stock withdrawn between the thirteenth (13) and thirty-sixth (36) month after its issue; 4 per cent interest shall be allowed withdrawing stockholder from date of issue on stock withdrawn between the thirty-seventh (37) month and time of maturity of stock."

This change in the By-Laws is made necessary by a recent ruling of Court that the rate of interest allowed on withdrawals must be stated and the rates shown above have been followed by this Association and are the rates generally followed by Building and Loan Associations.

THOS. C. TROTTER, JR.,  
(25-26) Secretary.

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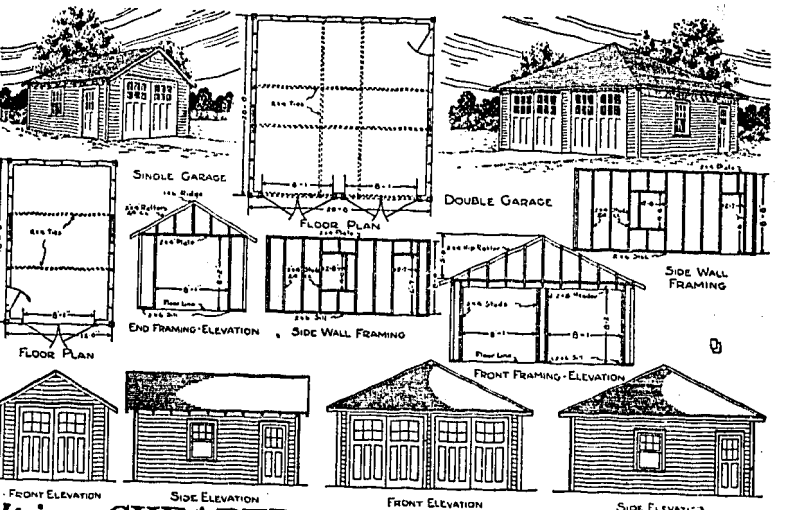
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**HELP WANTED**—Male and female. Can you prepare for pending post office clerk and carrier examination? Write me today. G. A. Cook, 411 Atlas Building, Washington, D. C. (1-30)

**CLERK - CARRIERS**—Examination Narberth. Applications close February 10. Salary \$1700. For free particulars coaching for exam write Washington Institute, 223 Stewart Building, Washington, D. C. (1-30)

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Minimum charge, \$1.50 for 8 lbs.

About half flat and half wearing apparel. Everything finished ready to wear.

— FAMILY SERVICE —  
12c per lb.

All pieces ironed on our special floating roll ironer. A few pieces of wearing apparel will need a little touching up. Flat work all ironed and neatly folded.

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12c per lb.

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Soap .....	.75
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all its pleasures. 8 tables, largest  
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We offer a regular  
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### NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church.  
M. E. McLinn, pastor.  
Regular services Sunday, January  
31, 1926:  
9.45 A. M.—Sunday School.  
11 A. M.—Preaching by pastor  
Thorne, "The Troubled Sea."  
6.45 P. M.—Junior Luther League.  
7 P. M.—Senior Luther League.  
7.45 P. M.—Evening service. Ser-  
mon, "Where are the Nine?"  
A most cordial invitation is extended  
to come to all these services.  
Our motto: "Services well attended.  
Many attracted hearts attained."

Baptist Church of the Evangel.  
Robert E. Keighton, minister.

Services for January 31:  
9.45 A. M.—Church School.  
11 A. M.—Morning worship. Ser-  
mon, "The Preparation of an Evangel-  
ist."

6.45 P. M.—Big Young People's  
rally! Please note the time! The serv-  
ice is to be held in our church. The  
speaker is the pastor. The topic is  
"Cemeteries, Tombstones and Epi-  
taphs—A Grave Subject."

7.45 P. M.—Evening worship. Ser-  
mon, "Men Whose Hearts God Has  
Touched." This is another of the  
special talks to Young People.

Tuesday, February 2:  
10.30 A. M.—Meeting of the Women  
for White Cross work.

2.30 P. M.—Quarterly business  
meeting of the Women's Association—  
open to all the women of the church  
and congregation.

Wednesday, February 3:  
8 P. M.—Prayer service. Topic,  
"The Laws of Mental Reactions." We  
are to continue of evangelistic  
emphases during February and the  
prayer services will present opportu-  
nities to study evangelism.

Next Sunday, February 7, brings  
our big monthly musicale. The fea-  
ture is to be a triple quartet, present-  
ing a program of superior anthems!

### The Presbyterian Church.

Rev. John Van Ness, minister.  
Meetings for January 31:  
9.30 A. M.—Bible School. All wel-  
come.

11 A. M.—Morning worship. Text,  
"Keep Thy Heart With All Diligence."

11 A. M.—Junior Church for chil-  
dren from 6 to 12 years of age.

7 P. M.—Intermediate Endeavor  
meeting, under the direction of Miss

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JOBGING Narberth

Furber.  
6.45 P. M.—The Senior C. E. Society  
will attend the union meeting in the  
Baptist Church.

7.45 P. M.—Evening worship. Ser-  
mon theme, "The Rapture of Elijah."  
Meetings for next week:

Monday evening—Teachers' Bible  
Class, conducted by Miss Harrison.

Wednesday, from 11 A. M. to 4  
P. M.—"Relay Mission Study Class,"  
under the auspices of the Women's  
Missionary Society. The class will  
be conducted by Miss Katharine  
Gardner, of our Board of National  
Missions. All women invited.

Wednesday evening—Prayer meet-  
ing. Subject, "Christ, the Light of the  
World."

Thursday, 6.30 P. M.—Father and  
Son Dinner, under the auspices of the  
Men's Bible Class. Rev. Henry F.  
Wilkie, of Germantown, will be the  
after-dinner speaker. Let every man  
come and bring a son.

Friday evening—Regular Session  
meeting.

All Saints' Church, Wynnewood, Pa.  
Rev. Gibson Bell, rector.

Rev. Francis A. Gray, assistant  
minister.

8 A. M.—Holy Communion.  
10 A. M.—Church School.

11 A. M.—Morning prayer and ser-  
mon. (Church bus leaves Narberth  
station at 10.40.)

Benedicite.....Kinder in G  
Anthem—"By the Water of Babylon,"  
Tatkin

Narberth Methodist Episcopal  
Church.

Rev. W. Sheridan Dawson, minister.  
Services Sunday, January 31:

9.45 A. M.—Bible School; Hon.  
Fletcher W. Stites, superintendent.

11 A. M.—Morning worship. Theme,  
"Future Conditions Compared." An-  
them—"Christian, the Morning Breaks  
Sweetly O'er Thee," by Shelley. Con-  
tralto solo—"Consider the Lilies,"  
Maudner.

3 P. M.—The pastor will meet the  
Probationers' Class.

6.45 P. M.—Epworth League devo-  
tional meeting.

7.45 P. M.—Evening worship.  
Musical program by the choir. An-  
them—"He Watcheth Over Israel," by  
Mendelssohn. Soprano solo—"Come  
Unto Him," from Handel's "Messiah."

Trio—"A Song of Trust," Wilson. An-  
them—"To Thee the Glory," by Ash-  
ford. Short sermon by the pastor.

Theme, "Something to Sing About."

Monday, the Woman's Foreign Mis-  
sionary Society will hold their regular  
monthly meeting at the home of Mrs.  
J. A. Scott, 119 Woodside avenue, at  
2.30 P. M.

Tuesday, the regular meeting of the  
Sunday School Board at 8 P. M.

Prayer and praise service on  
Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Choir rehearsal on Thursday eve-  
ning.

The Church of Good-Fellowship  
has a welcome for you at all services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.  
Women's Club Building, Ardmore  
avenue, Ardmore, Pa.

Sunday services, 11 A. M.  
Wednesday evening testimonial  
meeting, 8 o'clock.

Reading room, 19 West Lancaster  
avenue, open each week day, 12 to 4.30  
P. M.

The subject of the Bible lesson ser-  
mon for January 31 is "Love."

### STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

A meeting of the stockholders of the  
Narberth Building and Loan Association  
for the nomination of officers and directors  
for the ensuing year, will be held Thurs-  
day, February 4, 1926, at Elm Hall, at  
9 P. M. The election will be held at  
the annual meeting, Thursday, March 4,  
1926.

THOS. C. TROTTER, JR.  
(2-5-26) Secretary.

### The FIRESIDE

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wohler  
entertained the Fairmount Park  
Art Association at luncheon at the  
Bellevue-Stratford Thursday.

The Women's Foreign Mission-  
ary Society of the M. E. Church  
will meet Monday at the home of  
Mrs. James A. Scott, 119 Wood-  
side avenue.

Mr. Alfred F. Whitman, former-  
ly of Merion Avenue, paid his  
annual surprise visit to old friends  
on Sunday. He is always in a  
hurry to or from Cambridge, Mass.,  
but this time paused long enough  
to show everybody a picture of his  
new baby boy.

Miss Claudia B. deKlavin, of  
Pittsburgh, has returned to her  
home after a visit with her aunt,  
Mrs. C. C. Herron.

Miss M. F. Turnbull has re-  
turned to the Windsor-Essex after  
spending several months on the  
continent.

John Albert King, son of Dr. and  
Mrs. L. A. King, of Grayling ave-  
nue, celebrated his ninth birthday  
Monday afternoon by a party at his  
home. His guests were Jane Cald-  
well, Jane Eichengreen, Helen He-  
witt, Helen Orr, Betty Jane Rankin,  
Lorna McCartney, Jane Louise  
King, Jimmy Snyder, Ellsworth  
Haigh, Sammy Miller, Paul Woh-  
ler, Donald McConnell and Joseph  
H. King.

Mrs. E. C. Griswold entertained  
at bridge last evening.

Mrs. John Huber, of Wynne-  
wood, entertained at a theatre party  
last Saturday. Her guests were the  
Misses Cynthia and Margaret Metz-  
ger, Miss Katharine Adams and  
Miss Patience Wohler, all of Nar-  
berth.

Miss Ruth Lee Cook, daughter of  
Mrs. Okie L. Cook, of Windsor  
avenue, entertained at her home last  
Saturday.

Mrs. C. E. Walsh visited friends  
in Pittsburgh during the past week.

The regular meeting of Dr. Ben-  
jamin Rush Chapter, Daughters of  
the American Revolution, will be  
held at the home of Mrs. H. M.  
Chalfant, 208 Chestnut avenue,  
Narberth, Saturday, February 6, at  
2.30 P. M.

Misses Ruth and Esther Dur-  
boraw attended a house party in  
New York last week-end. Other  
guests included Miss Eula Ovitt,  
Burlington, Vt.; Miss Doris Mc-  
Leod, Boston, Mass., and Messrs.  
Kreisel, New York; Irving Rod-  
well, Buffalo; Thomas Malin and  
Newton Durboraw, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Sara Jane Keefer, mother  
of Mrs. Addie K. Hewitt, 112 Es-  
sex avenue, celebrated her eighty-  
third birthday at the home of her  
daughter Wednesday, January 27,  
with a luncheon, having as her  
guests Mrs. Harry Derby, Mrs. Mc-  
Lain and Mrs. R. Edgar.

Mr. James T. Leonard, of 114  
Dudley avenue, announces the en-  
gagement of his daughter, Miss  
Catherine Leonard, to Mr. George  
Haslan, of Palmyra, N. J.

Mrs. Horace Wanamaker is  
visiting her sister, Miss Anne Bush-  
nell in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. R. C. Hoffman leaves on  
Tuesday for Hanover, N. H., to  
visit her son, Donald, who is a  
senior at Dartmouth College. She  
will witness the winter festival.

Mrs. M. H. Finch, of Los  
Angeles, Cal., is the guest of Mr.  
and Mrs. W. H. Hartel.

### GET BIG CONTRACTS

Local Men to Design Buildings Going  
Up in Miami.

The great activities in Florida  
are reaching into all parts of the  
country. Many local residents have  
interests there, and among the latest  
are C. Fred Kuebler, Jr., and C. H.  
Woolmington, both of Narbrook  
Park, respectively treasurer and  
secretary of the firm of Stuckert &  
Company, architects and engineers,  
of Philadelphia. This company has  
the contract for the designing and  
planning of a \$3,000,000 apartment  
house project in Miami, to be known  
as the Beverly Arms, and a \$1,500,-  
000 office building and club house  
for the Advertising Club of Miami.

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## COTTER'S MARKET

— 1926 —

LET'S GO

is common in the vernacular of the day, and this ejacu-  
lation embodies a wider scope of meaning, is more expres-  
sive of action, is in more general daily use—in short, we  
know of no other colloquialism that is more appropriate  
for a 1926 starter than the two words of our caption—

As we cross the threshold of an old year and enter the  
vestibule of a new one there are usually many profitable  
readjustments to be made, and the beginning of a new  
year is a very appropriate time to take account of one's  
life in a personal way, as does a business or financial  
case in taking inventory of its affairs.

Starting with ourselves we might, with all propriety, ask:  
Have we served with the greatest degree of unselfish-  
ness possible?

Have we worked with the greatest degree of efficiency  
possible?

Have we advised with the wisdom that has been com-  
mensurate with our advantages?

Have we played the game fairly?

Have we measured up to our ideals and presented our  
trade with worth-while opportunities?

These, and many more such quizzes we might use, and  
they should be answered without exception, to our own  
satisfaction at least, in the affirmative before we say—

LET'S GO

### R. G. A. GUARANTEE

Did you ever hear of such a guarantee? "This butter is  
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dinary air in the churns is replaced with a clean, sterile, non-oxidiz-  
ing atmosphere, thus protecting against rancidity. Heathized  
Sweet Cream Butter is the only butter sold in this city churned  
under the Heath U. S. Patents.

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### CHERRIES

Herbert's Choice Royal Anne

Very Large Fruit

Large Can 35c

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ton Bartlett pears have no apolo-  
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By many they are considered  
superior. These are certainly  
fine fruit, in very heavy syrup.  
Can 35c; 3 cans \$1.00

### GRAPE FRUIT

H. & H. Brand, New Pack  
Sweetened Brand, new goods,  
one of the most popular on the  
market.

Can 25c

### FRESH EGGS

Humphrey Brand. Direct from Snug Har-  
bor Farm to you.

Dozen 52c

### R. G. A. COFFEE

We know of nothing in the coffee line any  
better. We guarantee it in every particular—  
drink, appearance and economy.

Lb. 45c

### PRUNES

2 lbs. 25c

### PEAS

Can 19c

Buy a dozen cans—\$2.15

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Per lb. 28c

### Quality Goods at Special Prices

Astor Rice ..... Pkg. 10c; 3 for 25c  
Sunmaid Raisins, seeded or seedless, 2 pkg. 25c  
Evaporated Milk, small can ..... 5c  
Shaker Salt, Ivory ..... Pkg. 10c; 3 for 25c  
Kingford's Cornstarch ..... Pkg. 11c  
Wilmar Peanut Butter, large glass ..... 18c

Apple Butter, Libby, large can ..... 25c  
Corn Beef, Libby, large can ..... 25c  
Asparagus, California State, tall can ..... 18c  
Heinz's Baked Beans, 2 med. cans ..... 27c  
Vulcan Safety Matches, 3 pkgs. .... 25c  
Quaker City Cracker Meal, pkg. .... 10c

### MAINE CORN, OXFORD BRAND, GENUINE MAINE

We offered this Corn on two different occasions, since which time the goods have come in  
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little, if any, difference between it and "Paris." Now, come, if you want a bargain in fine Corn,  
get some of this while it is going—this is a snap.

2 Cans 25c; Dozen Cans \$1.50

### Meat Specials for Today and Next Week

Rump and Round Steak ..... lb. 45c | Best Cuts Standing Rib Roast ..... lb. 38c  
Nice Lean Pot Roast ..... lb. 25c to 35c | Thick End Rib Roast ..... lb. 25c

### SPRING LAMB

Leg of Lamb ..... lb. 42c | Neck of Lamb ..... lb. 25c | Shoulder of Lamb ..... lb. 30c  
Breast of Lamb ..... 2 lbs. 25c

### YOUNG'S P. B. CHIPS

3 Pkgs. 25c

### FELS-NAPHTHA SOAP

Cake 5c

### CHIPSO

Large Pkg. 25c

### BEST AMMONIA

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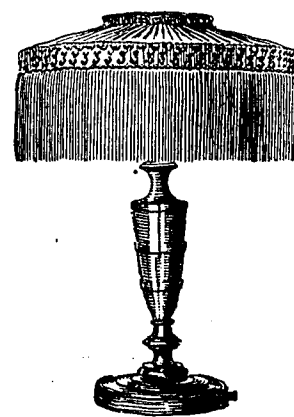
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## Book List for January, 1926

The following books have been purchased this month for the Narberth Community Library. In addition it has been found necessary to buy a second copy of Morley's "Thunder on the Left." As soon as this book appeared it started so much discussion that one copy was not adequate to the demand.

## Non-Fiction.

"Book of Operas"—H. E. Krehbiel. For music lovers.  
"Edge of the Jungle"—William Beebe. More of this author's thrilling tales.

"Mason-Bees"—J. Henri Fabre. Contains all the essays on the chalcidomae or Mason-Bees proper.  
"Philadelphia (the Place and the People)"—Agnes Repplier. Philadelphia, from 1682 to the present.

"Short Life of Mark Twain"—Albert Bigelow Paine. Condensed and handy.

"Tales You Won't Believe"—Gene Stratton Porter. Of birds, flowers and animals.

"Why We Behave Like Human Beings"—George A. Dorsey, Ph. D., LL. D. Amazing and fascinating information about ourselves.

## Fiction.

"Adventurers in Understanding"—David Grayson. Another group of charming studies of life.

"Amaranth Club"—J. S. Fletcher. A detective story.

"Black Thunder"—B. M. Bowler. Indians, an Eastern girl and a man.

"Black Valley"—Raymond Weaver. American missionaries in Japan.

"The Buster"—William Patterson White. Romance in the West.

"Fernande"—W. B. Maxwell. A fascinating woman is the base of a strange triangle.

"The Girl Who Cast Out Fear"—Dorothy Speare. The life and loves of a very modern girl.

"Jericho Sands"—Mary Borden. A man's love for God and his love for his wife.

"Little White Hag"—Francis Beeding. Opium smugglers, mystery and adventure.

"Lodgers in London"—Adelaide Eden Phillpotts. Life in a Bloomsbury lodging house.

"Mr. Petre"—Hilaire Belloc. The fabulous things that happen because of a lapse of memory.

"Odyssey of a Nice Girl"—Ruth Suckow. Country girl's struggle to escape from the confining environment into which she was born.

"The Oldest God"—Stephen McKenna. A tale of the supernatural.

"Porgy"—Du Bose Heyward. A negro is the main character in this story of love and murder.

"Private Life of Helen of Troy"—John Erskine. Humorous fiction made out of the life of Helen of Troy.

"Steel Decks"—James B. Connolly. Adventure and romance on the seas.

"Those Barren Leaves"—Aldous Huxley. A delicious satire of a literary house party.

"Threshold of Fear"—Arthur J. Rees. A mystery story.

## MISS VERFENSTEIN TO TALK

The members of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church will have the pleasure of hearing Miss Verfenstein, who has traveled all over South America, speak of her experience. The Epworth League will have their fourth special service this Sunday of their six-week study of Mexico and South America. Many interesting talks have been given.

In order that more might hear Miss Verfenstein the meeting will be held in the Ardmore Methodist Church, Narberth being the guest of the Ardmore Epworth League.

The Ardmore League will have a social tea at 6.30 o'clock in order that all who care to meet Miss Verfenstein personally may do so before the regular meeting starts at 7 P. M.

Members and friends of the Narberth league will meet at the Methodist Church at 6 o'clock and go to Ardmore by automobile. The last car will leave at 6.15 for all late arrivals.

A great treat for all, so be sure to attend. Last warning; 6 P. M., Sunday, at the Methodist Church.

## NEW SCHOOL BOARD STATES ITS POLICIES

CONTINUED FROM THE FIRST PAGE  
the educational system of Narberth. Financial Policy.

The School Board represents the people of Narberth and consequently has direct charge and control of all matters pertaining to finances and the material equipment of the schools. Upon reorganizing the budget for the next school year July 1, 1926, the board will expect to have the proposals pertaining to all professional matters from the principal of the schools. If it can then accept these suggestions, after due consideration, they will be incorporated in the organization of the budget, which the board will be prepared to furnish to the citizens of our borough.

## Co-operation.

In order to assist the board and the supervising principal in carrying out these policies patrons are invited to visit the schools at any time to observe the work of the teachers and students, and to offer constructive suggestions to the principal or the board for the improvement of the school.

The meetings of the School Board are open to the public and patrons are invited to attend these meetings on the third Monday of each month at 8 P. M. at the school building.

Closer contact between the school and parents will lead to a better understanding of conditions and assist the board in its efforts to provide the best possible school that financial and physical conditions will permit.

## Manual Training.

It was proposed that the School Board investigate the possibility of providing facilities and equipment for the purpose of introducing manual training in the school curriculum. Aside from its generally accepted intrinsic value in the modern school, its introduction has practically become imperative because of the State's requirements that some form of manual training or industrial education shall be taught in the recognized junior high school. The Narberth Junior High School has been so recognized and the district receives special junior high school financial aid from the State.

To afford the students vacation with the least interference with school work it was decided to close the schools on February 22, Washington's Birthday, and April 1, 2 and 5, on account of Easter.

## School Report.

The School Board intends to have published by the end of the school year a detailed report of the status of the financial, educational and other matters pertaining to the schools. The citizens, by this report, will become more conversant with the affairs of their schools.

## COST NEARLY 3 MILLION TO RUN COUNTY IN 1925

Controller Irvin's Annual Report is Filed—Change Reported.

It cost \$2,802,433.55 to run Montgomery county last year, according to the annual report of Controller Irvin, filed with the Courts Monday. The total receipts for the year were \$2,854,041.54.

The report shows in detail the amount spent for good roads and new bridges.

The welfare of the indigent insane has been placed, at Controller Irvin's suggestion, in the control of the poor directors. Heretofore the county commissioners had supervision. The poor directors will direct the payment for maintenance which totals about \$85,000.

## Will Be Principal Speakers at Dinner

Senator Fletcher W. Stites, of Narberth, and Assemblyman Benjamin F. Ludlow, of Ardmore, will be the principal speakers at the annual dinner of scout officers of Delaware and Montgomery counties, which will be held in the Bellevue-Stratford tomorrow evening.

## IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mrs. Henry A. Frye, of Wynnedale avenue, with her infant son, accompanied her mother, Mrs. R. W. Vining, of Cynwyd, and her sister, Miss Helena Vining, on a motor trip to their former home in Boston last week.

Near Springfield, Mass., the party had a miraculous escape from serious injury or death when their car skidded on an icy road, turned over and was wrecked. No one was hurt other than cuts, bruises and shock and all were able to complete the journey by train. They will be gone about 10 days.

## SECOND CONCERT

Adolph Vogel, conductor of the Main Line Orchestra, of Ardmore, announces the second concert to take place on Sunday, February 21, at the Ardmore Theatre. The association is offering the subscribers this year three orchestra concerts, an Intimate Recital, and a special concert by an ensemble group. Dates are to be announced later.

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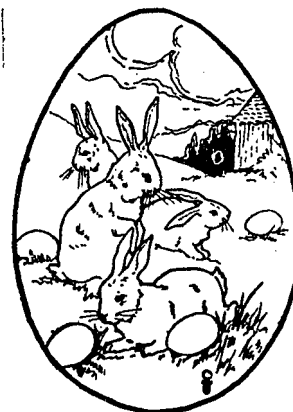
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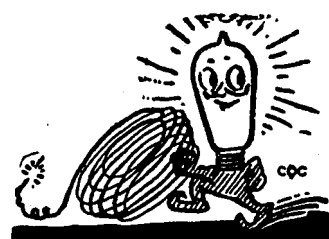
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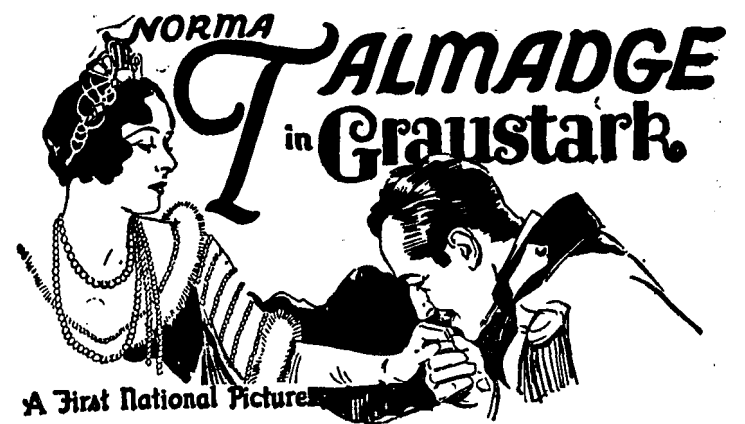
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